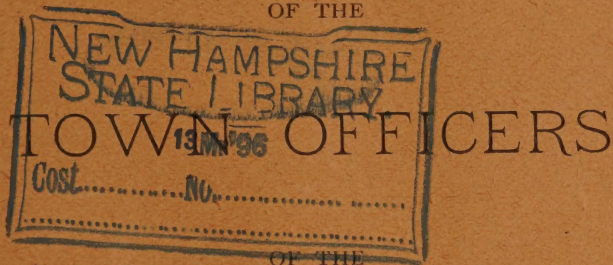




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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

The Selectmen respectfully submit the following report of the expenditures of the town of Pittsfield for the year ending February 15, 1896:

REPAIRING HIGHWAYS.

Appropriation,		\$2810 00
Paid B. M. Tilton, road agent,	\$2921 90	
J. Griffin, bill of 1892,	4 95	
	<hr/>	\$2926 85

BREAKING ROADS.

Appropriation,	\$800 00
Paid B. M. Tilton, road agent,	512 22

SCHOOLS.

Appropriation,	\$6000 00
Paid George F. Berry, treasurer,	6000 00

STREET LIGHTS.

Appropriation,		\$750 00
Paid Fred C. Joy, bal. 1894-5,	\$ 48 35	
Pittsfield Gas Co., lighting streets to February 28, 1896.	687 50	
	<hr/>	\$735 85

LIBRARY BY ACT OF LEGISLATURE.

Appropriation,	\$173 00
Paid Randall, Robinson and True, trustees,	173 00

TOWN OFFICERS.

Appropriation,

\$1000 00

Paid P. S. Elliott, selectman, bal. services		
1894,	\$	20 00
W. E. Joy, " " '94		20 00
J. S. Goodwin, " " "		20 00
W. W. Walker, supervisor, " '95		14 00
G. B. Johnson, " " "		10 00
Everett Jenkins, " " "		16 00
T. H. Maxfield, " " "		4 00
S. F. Jenkins, ballot clerk, " '93		3 00
N. W. Adams, " " '95		3 00
E. K. Webster, " " "		3 00
J. A. Walker, inspector, " " "		3 00
J. T. Harvey, " " "		3 00
F. D. Osgood, town clerk, " " "		75 00
G. F. Berry, " treasurer, " " "		75 00
J. S. Goodwin, selectman, " " "		100 00
P. S. Elliott, " " "		100 00
W. E. Joy, " " "		100 00
E. W. French, tax collector, " " "		200 00
C. H. Drew, 2d. policeman, " " "		10 50
F. H. Bache'der, " " "		25 00
A. H. Young, " " "		15 00
E. C. Hanson, " " "		2 00
G. D. Brown, " " "		15 00
J. M. Drew, " " "		8 18
W. D. Prentice, " " "		7 00
A. L. Pa.e, moderator, services '95		9 00
Goodwin, Elliott and Joy, overseers		
of poor,		75 00
Goodwin, Eliott and Joy, health		
officers,		30 00
T. H. Maxfield, services as auditor,		2 00
M. S. Clough, " " "		2 00
E. K. Webster, truant officer,		25 00

 \$994 68

DEPENDENT SOLDIERS, TOWN.

Paid for F. S. Cole,	\$	70 33
for S. M. Emerson,		11 75
for C. S. Bunker, Gilmanton,		62 09

 \$144 17

DEPENDENT SOLDIERS, COUNTY.

Paid for C. N. Buckman,	\$ 47 00	
for M. Ambrose,	158 17	
for A. D. Powell,	152 29	
for Eva Jones,	91 14	
for D. D. Hanscomb,	11 00	
	<hr/>	\$459 60

COST OF SAFES AND FIXING OFFICE.

Appropriation,		\$500 00
Paid Damon & Co., for two safes,	\$ 300 00	
Concord R. R., freight on safes,	21 00	
Elliott and Joy, time and expenses to Boston,	20 00	
S. E. Brock, " cleaning school room,	1 25	
N W. Adams, " fixing selectmen's office,	54 85	
J. E. Ring, " moving safe and furniture,	6 00	
C. H. Ring, " painting and papering office,	14 56	
J. S. Goodwin, labor on office,	2 00	
" " " expense repairing school room,	41 80	
H. Real, labor on school room,	75	
F. E. Dennett, labor on selectmen's office,	8 97	
P. H. Adams & Son, supplies for selectmen's office,	3 16	
H. W. Osgood, paper for selectmen's office,	4 50	
Elliott and Joy, moving safe,	5 50	
	<hr/>	\$484 34

TOWN POOR.

Appropriation,		\$600 00
Paid for G. A. Eaton,	\$ 199 22	
for H. H. Hall,	156 74	
for Fred O. Newell,	260 03	
for Mrs Rosco Garland and child,	132 60	
for True Eaton,	3 50	
for M. A. Brown,	18 90	
	<hr/>	\$770 99

COUNTY POOR.

Paid for James Smith,	\$ 126 14
for Henry Burrows,	40 70
for M. B. Tibbetts,	52 00
for Mark Nutter,	107 95
for Mrs Miller,	27 43
for Emma Butcher,	26 57
for New York Girl,	13 97
for Nellie Brown,	21 38
for J. W. Chapman,	17 63
for Dowst child,	42 75
for Transient,	81 96
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	\$558 48

CURRENT EXPENSES.

Appropriation,		\$1000 00
Paid W. Vittum, wood for office and lobby,	\$ 5 87	
D. T. Neal, printing,	16 50	
Goodwin, Elliott and Joy, time and expenses on diseased animals,	18 00	
W. E. Joy, use of team,	10 50	
L. Terwilleger, printing notices,	2 25	
G. F. Berry, insurance,	5 00	
" " " interest on money hired,	40 04	
J. S. Goodwin, services and cash paid out,	13 00	
J. S. Goodwin, copying record, blotter, and collecting book,	22 00	
M. H. Nutter, repairs on police station,	3 20	
J. A. Goss, office rent,	12 00	
E. A. Lane, insurance engine house,	9 00	
F. B. Berry, justice fees,	25 00	
J. M. Drew, officers fees and expenses,	11 45	
W. W. Gould, labor in old cemetery,	5 00	
J. B. Varrick, pair handcuffs,	4 50	
Evans & Page, table for police station,	1 50	
J. M. Bachelder, rent " "	50 00	
Republican Press Association, printing town reports,	51 75	
Goodwin Elliott and Joy, perambulating town line,	15 00	
Goodwin, Elliott and Joy, expense of perambulating town line,	1 25	
J. A. Goss, care of park,	39 28	

J. A. Goss, moving fence and sewer pipe,	\$ 5 05
F. H. Bacheider, wood for lobby,	2 12
Streeter and Walker, legal services,	10 00
F. E. Cummings, certificate of births and deaths,	4 25
F. H. Sargent, certificate of births and deaths.	3 75
Edgar L. Carr, certificate of births and deaths,	6 25
A. W. Sanders rent for storehouse,	12 00
A. H. Young, burying horse,	2 00
" " " flushing sewers,	52 00
G. F. Berry, expense on bonded debt,	37 39
Silsby & Son, stationery,	13 25
J. S. Goodwin, printing, postage, and labor for water company,	4 25
M. S. Clough, services in Lebbe case,	10 10
M. H. Nutter, repairing sewers,	1 60
H. T. Shaw, washing and drying hose,	4 40
G. W. Lane, perambulating town line,	4 00
P. S. Elliott, R. R. fares and expenses,	20 92
F. D. Osgood, recording births and deaths.	16 95
W. E. Joy, time and expenses to Concord,	3 25
A. H. French, time and expenses to Concord,	8 25
H. W. Osgood, bounty on hawks,	18 25
J. Griffin, lumber for voting booths 1892,	6 15
V. A. Grant, stationery, telephone, and disinfectants,	8 00
Pittsfield Gas Co., gas for police station and office,	3 96
Care of tramps.	19 92
F. B. Berry, justice fees State vs Come,	2 50
F. B. Berry, " " " " Heywood & Eaton,	5 00
Goodwin & George, legal services State vs Come,	5 00
E. A. Lane, " " State vs Heywood & Eaton,	3 00
F. S. Jenkins, justice and officers fees,	8 16
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	\$661.76

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,		\$2500 00
Paid G. B. Johnson, watching fires.	\$ 4 00	
M. H. Nutter, repairs on engine house,	1 45	
L. L. Caswell, bricks, engine house,	21 00	
G. M. Stevens, fire alarm and supplies,	878 21	
Evans and Page, lumber,	10 96	
A. J. Morse & Son,	22 50	
T. A. Lane & Co.,	3 30	
E. C. Hanson, labor,	2 10	
W. H. Gallison, fire alarm whistle,	63 00	
C. H. O. Green, labor on engine house,	14 70	
T. W. Nutter, " " "	14 00	
W. E. Joy, " fire alarm,	11 70	
C. F. Ayer, clerk hook and ladder,	150 00	
W. E. Joy, " hose company	285 00	
A. L. Page, " fire wards,	45 00	
" " " expenses fire wards,	16 10	
W. B. Hartwell, clerk chemical engine company,	112 50	
G. D. Brown, watching fires and storing tub,	3 00	
Tilton and Green, lumber and labor on fire alarm,	2 05	
H. T. Shaw, supplies for engine house,	17 75	
F. E. Dennett, labor on " "	8 48	
G. H. Colbath, vitriol, Babcock extinguisher,	14 26	
N. W. Adams, labor on engine house,	7 74	
Pittsfield Aqueduct company, water service,	900 00	
P. H. Adams & Son, cement and lime,	9 55	
M. S. Clough, use of team,	5 00	
V. A. Grant, supplies for engine house,	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$2625 35

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Appropriation,		\$100 00
Paid Post 29, G. A. R.,	\$ 75 00	
F. D. Osgood, care town clock,	25 00	
	<hr/>	\$100 00

DOG DAMAGE.

Paid H. L. Brown, damage to fowls,	\$ 15 00	
M. A. Leavitt, " "	3 00	
Charles Steel, " "	4 75	
C. D. Berry, " sheep,	18 00	
F. E. Cram, " "	12 00	
P. S. Elliott, adjusting dog damage,	4 00	
J. Griffin, damage to fowls,	1 65	
F. H. Bachelder, dog killer for 1893,	11 50	
	<hr/>	\$69 90

ABATEMENTS.

Paid J. T. Harvey, for watering tub,	\$ 3 00	
H. Paige, " "	3 00	
C. Joy, " "	3 00	
J. A. Barton, " "	3 00	
E. A. Brown, " "	3 00	
C. A. Welch, " " '94-95,	6 00	
J. R. Tucker, " " "	3 00	
E. E. Stockman, " " '94 95,	6 00	
F. M. Thompson, loss by fire,	14 00	
E. W. French, from tax list of 1893,	2 41	
" " " " " 1894,	44 26	
" " " " " 1895,	17 00	
	<hr/>	—\$107 67

J. S. GOODWIN,
P. S. ELLIOTT,
W. E. JOY,

Selectmen of Pittsfield.

PITTSFIELD, February 21, 1896.

We have examined the books and accounts of the selectmen,
and find all expenditures properly vouched for.

TRUE H. MAXFIELD,
M. SWAIN CLOUGH,
CHARLES H. LANE,

Auditors.

FIRE WARD'S REPORT.

The Fire Wards of the town of Pittsfield, for the year ending February 15, 1896, submit the following report:

EXPENDITURES OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid G. B. Johnson, watching fires,	\$ 4 00
M. H. Nutter, repairs,	1 45
G. M. Stevens, supplies,	15 25
A. J. Morse, siamese coupling,	22 50
E. C. Haason, shoveling out hydrants,	2 10
G. M. Stevens, supplies,	6 46
W. E. Joy, repairs,	11 70
G. D. Brown, watching fires, etc.,	3 00
H. T Shaw, supplies and labor,	17 75
Dennett Bros, repairs,	8 48
G. H. Colbath, supplies.	14 26
N. W. Adams, repairs on engine house,	7 74
V. A. Grant, supplies,	2 00
Fire Wards, services,	45 00
Hook & Ladder Co., services,	150 00
Hose Co., “	285 00
Chemical Co., “	112 50
Aqueduct Co., water,	900 00
M. S. Clough, use of horse,	5 00
	<hr/> \$1614 19

EXPENDITURES FOR FIRE ALARM SYSTEM.

Paid G. M. Stevens, fire alarm plant,	\$ 856 50
W. H. Gallison, whistle,	63 00
T. A. Lane, whistle valve,	3 30
Evans & Page, lumber,	10 96
Tilton & Green, “	2 05
L. L. Caswell, brick,	21 00

P. H. Adams & Son, cement,	\$ 9 55	
C. H. O. Green, labor,	14 70	
T. W. Nutter, “	14 00	
A. L. Page, expenses of company,	16 10	
	<hr/>	\$1011 16
Total expenditures of fire department		\$2625 35

FIRES DURING THE YEAR.

September 4, 1895; alarm pulled in from box 25; fire located in the French store, so called, on Water street; caused by burning chimney; loss very small.

December 17, 1895; alarm pulled in from box 36; fire located in Berry's block, Main street; caused by defective chimney building occupied by Tasker & Kelly, J. H. Cilley, and A. F. Williams.

Value of building,	\$ 3500 00
Insurance on building,	3000 00
Damage to “	550 00
Insurance paid,	550 00
Value of contents,	1400 00
Damage to contents,	290 00
Insurance paid,	230 00

January 19, 1896; a false alarm was pulled in from box 25 at 3.45 o'clock, Sunday morning; although no fire was discovered this alarm proved the efficacy and successful working of our new fire alarm system, and demonstrated to the most skeptical that it would arouse our firemen in the dead of night, which many had doubted, for the alarm had hardly ceased striking when firemen were on the spot with their apparatus, ready for business.

FIREMEN FOR 1895.

FIRE WARDS.

William B. Evans, chief.
Alburn L. Page, clerk.
Forest F. Hill.

HOSE COMPANY.

19 MEN.

D. O. Sherburne, foreman.
George D. Brown, assistant foreman.
Edwin Joy, “ “
Walter E. Joy, clerk.
Harry T. Shaw, steward.

HOOK and LADDER CO.

10 MEN.

Clarence A. Horne, foreman.
 Arthur Sanborn, assistant foreman.
 Charles F. Ayers, clerk.

CHEMICAL ENGINE CO.

8 MEN.

William B. Hartwell, foreman.
 Benj. M. Tilton, assistant foreman.
 William P. Adams, clerk.

We recommend that an appropriation be made at our next annual meeting for the purchase of an extension ladder, and for shingling the engine house.

W. B. EVANS,
 A. L. PAGE,
 F. F. HILL.

Fire Wards.

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT.

Paid for repairing highways.	\$2946 45	
" breaking roads.	484 65	
Total Expenditures.	<hr/>	\$3431 10
Paid American Express Co.,	\$ 1 50	
N. W. Adams,	7 37	
P. H. Adams & Son,	3 91	
John Abbott,	5 40	
B. T. Blaisdell,	25	
Joe Banjo,	107 55	
John Bennett,	5 10	
Nat Barton,	2 32	
H. W. Bachelder,	2 75	
H. L. Brown,	6 00	
Freeman Brown,	8 00	
C. D. Berry,	4 45	
M. E. Brown,	2 00	
Geo. Berry,	90	
F. H. Bachelder,	1 50	
Francis Blake,	4 05	
Will Bishop,	1 35	
David Colpit,	145 00	
David Carson,	1 20	
Harry Carson,	3 00	
Leon Constance,	14 85	
H. E. Cram,	2 55	
S. J. Clark,	5 00	
F. E. Cram,	10 10	
Allie Cram,	75	
G. E. Curtis,	90	
E. A. Davis,	1 50	
G. E. Drake,	1 05	
Leon Deuppe,	12 75	
C. H. Drew,	6 38	

A. Deuppe,	\$ 1 95
G. Dennison,	3 00
Silas Dow,	1 50
J. A. Davis,	45
Carroll Emerson,	1 65
S. M. " "	34 57
Orrin " "	27 31
N. M. " "	11 73
G. D. " "	7 40
Evans & Page, lumber,	151 06
W. G. Elkins,	7 72
Clarence Emerson,	30
W. R. Emerson,	1 50
J. H. French,	8 10
C. F. French,	2 10
G. N. Foss,	3 45
H. M. Foss,	1 94
Henry Fowle,	45
G. W. Foss,	4 57
G. H. Foss,	1 20
H. Foss,	60
E. W. French,	50
Fred Fellows,	1 00
Ernest Gowett,	2 25
Joe Gowett,	17 22
D. S. Green,	121 00
Jack Gowett,	65 75
A. Gould,	1 50
Rosco Garland,	4 42
A. F. Gray,	10 72
David Goodwin,	1 00
W. Gould,	8 15
A. Geymond,	6 75
Griffin & Gove, lumber,	12 48
O. P. Green,	2 62
D. Green,	5 00
Geo. Hill,	4 20
J. J. " "	1 20
W. B. " "	1 05
L. " "	60
J. L. Hook,	7 00
G. Hodgdon,	45
J. T. Harvey,	10 00
G. W. Johnson,	13 95
G. H. " "	6 00
W. F. " "	4 00

David Jenness,	\$ 52 42
Otis ..	1 50
S. S. ..	4 58
A. P. James,	22 40
W. E. Joy,	3 20
T. B. Jones,	1 80.
Fred ..	8 05
Frank Locke.	38 55
Peter Langravin,	55 25
J. T. Langley.	1 50
G. LaDuke.	12 75
Ed Laro,	22 50
Ed. Lenard.	35 75
J. Lang,	5 25
H. E. Leavitt,	6 45
J. LaDuke,	3 75
Alex L Voi.	6 00
Horace Locke,	17 90
Andrew Leighton,	1 50
Albert LaBarron,	2 40
Marcus Locke,	1 20
Fred ..	60
Stephen Lougee,	5 40
J. C. McIntosh.	7 30
Tom ..	1 50
C. C. Morrill,	11 60
Joseph Marston,	1 50
T. H. Maxfield,	1 39
Alma Merrill,	1 80
Arthur ..	30
Lee Miller,	60
J. G. Morrill,	2 75
Lewis Maxfield,	68
Lyman Munsey,	4 05
Bela Merrill,	1 05
M. H. Nutter,	18 85
C. W. ..	14 60
T. W. ..	9 50
J. C. ..	5 85
Frank Newhall,	75
T. J. Niles,	60
Osgood & Young,	352 96
Joe Osier,	1 50
Peter ..	1 35
J. Perkins,	3 07
F. A. Page,	3 00

G. Perry,	\$ 2 10
Dan Philbrick,	1 50
Worthen Perkins,	3 95
W. E. Parshley,	21 90
J. M. Potter,	1 98
Hiram Page,	3 75
H. E. "	1 80
E. O. Perkins,	87
Charles Ranlet,	1 15
Thomas Raymond,	30 05
Gilbert Robelard,	63 65
John Reel,	57 50
J. E. Ring,	69 57
E. B. "	17 84
Fred Richardson,	19 55
C. C. Sargent,	151 39
Fred Smith,	2 02
Daniel "	30
James Straw,	7 00
L. S. Shanyo,	317 05
A. "	1 50
Dr. F. H. Sargent,	79 45
Grant Stockman,	1 50
Lawrence Shudling,	3 00
Oscar Straw,	1 05
Charles Steele,	2 25
C. Stanley,	2 53
F. O. Sanborn,	1 50
Arthur "	2 00
W. E. Smith,	1 64
Geo Straw,	30
E. C. Sherburne,	3 15
F. S. Tilton,	67
Arthur Thorne,	13 67
J. R. Tucker,	8 80
B. M. Tilton, self and team,	565 00
Telegraph and telephone,	1 80
David Twombly,	75
Fred Tucker,	7 60
Geo Tyler & Co., knives,	16 00
David P. Tilton,	9 71
T. P. Tuck,	5 75
Tilton and Green, lumber,	16 61
D. O. True,	4 70
G. W. Tibbetts, knives,	16 00
Geo. Twombly, A.T.A.	1 65

Valley Times, printing,	1 75	
Nelson Wood,	131 74	
J. A. Walker,	16 00	
L. A. Welch,	9 00	
Ed. " "	5 70	
A. R. Wentworth,	2 00	
Albert Watson,	3 97	
Charles " "	2 40	
		<hr/> \$343 ¹ 10

In conclusion I wish to thank the citizens of this town for the honor they have conferred upon me, by electing me a second term to this important office. I have at all times endeavored to conduct the business so I could get the most labor for the money as that is the way I should do business for myself; I have paid to Osgood and Young \$350 for repairing concrete walks and I wish to recommend them to my successor; if our walks had all been built by them the above repairs would not have been needed for a long time; 25 miles of bushes have been cut; strict attention has been given to removing large stones which were in the way of the road builder; every man has received 15 cents per hour for his labor; if I considered him not worth that I did not employ him, and should the good work go on we shall have roads equalled by none in the county. The town should own two road builders if they wish to have all their roads made when the ground is moist, which is essential for good roads.

B. M. TILTON, Road Agent.

BOUNTY AGENT'S REPORT.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN.

I respectfully submit the following report:

At my own request you appointed me to act as your agent to receive all birds of prey as come under an act of the legislature authorizing towns to pay bounty upon: I was to serve without pay: my object was twofold; 1: to determine as far as possible in this direction, the different species found in our vicinity; 2; that more evidence might be obtained from those who might bring such birds to me, as to their usefulness or destructiveness. Personal observations of the habits of birds for nearly forty years has convinced me that the usefulness of our feathered tribes far outweighs their destructiveness. The investigations of the past three years add more testimony to this statement. Only one of the seventy-three classified in this report was caught in an act of depredation, and only one of those who have brought these birds to me had suffered any loss through them. I wish to put myself upon record protesting against any law being retained upon the statute books of our state offering bounties for their destruction.

HENRY W. OSGOOD.

	Male	Female	Sex unknown	Adult	Young	January	April	May	June	August	September	October	1893	1894	1895	1896†	Total
<i>Hypotrirkochis Columbaris.</i> —Gray. (Pigeon Hawk.)	1	2	*1	1	1	1		2			1		1	2		1	4
<i>Tinnunculus Sparverius.</i> — <i>Vieillot.</i> (Sparrow Hawk.)	7	5		3	9		1				9	2	2	3	7		12
<i>Astur atricapillus.</i> — <i>Bona-</i> <i>parte.</i> (Goshawk.)	1			1		1											1
<i>Accipiter Fuscus.</i> — <i>Gmelin.</i> (Sharp-shinned Hawk.)	12	14		18	8		3	1			12	10	3	10	13		26
<i>Accipiter Cooperii.</i> — <i>Bona-</i> <i>parte.</i> (Cooper's Hawk.)	6	2		8				2			5	1	5		3		8
<i>Buteo borealis.</i> — <i>Vieillot.</i> (Red-tailed Hawk.)	5	1	*3	6	3	†1	2	3	3				1	2	5	1	9
<i>Buteo lineatus.</i> — <i>Fardine.</i> (Red-shouldered Hawk.)	2	2	*1	4	1				3	1		1	1	3	1		5
<i>Buteo Pennsylvanicus.</i> — <i>Bona-</i> <i>parte.</i> (Broad-wing'd Hawk)	2			3	2	3					5			5			5
<i>Circus Hudsonius.</i> — <i>Vieillot.</i> (Marsh Hawk.)		1			1						1				1		1
Unidentified.—taken from the nest; no description of parent birds.				2	2			2					2				2
Total	36	27	10	43	30	3	6	10	6	1	33	14	15	25	30	3	73

* In to bad condition to determine sex. † Had been kept in confinement two or three months which accounts for its being brought in this month.

† Year ending February 1.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

In compliance with the law, the following report of the treasurer of the town of Pittsfield, for the fiscal year ending February 15, 1896, is hereby respectfully submitted:

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand February 15, 1895,	\$ 1909 74
P S Elliott, rent of town hall 1894,	25 00
J S Goodwin, dependent soldier, Gilmanton,	45 00
Isaac H Clark, license,	3 00
J S Goodwin, sewer taxes,	21 00
" " " license,	21 00
H Dustin, gravel,	1 50
FD Osgood, dog tax,	179 57
State treasurer, insurance tax,	28 50
" " railroad "	568 86
" " literary fund,	376 32
" " savings bank tax,	2809 12
Merrimack County, account dependent soldiers,	459 60
Merrimack County, " county paupers,	558 48
F S Jenkins, police court fines,	3 00
E W French, collector,	21851 50
" " " " interest,	51 50
" " " " sewer tax,	10 00
" " " " collector 1893,	4 31
" " " " " 1894,	79 44
P S Elliott, bounty on hawks,	18 25
	—————\$29,024 69

EXPENDITURES.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

T F Gay, Post 29 G. A. R.	\$ 75 00	
F D Osgood, care of town clock,	25 00	
Damon Safe Co, two safes,	300 00	
F E Sargent, freight on safes,	21 00	
Library trustees,	173 00	
Repairing selectmen's room, etc,	162 59	
	<hr/>	\$756 59

SCHOOLS.

G F Berry, treasurer school board,		
Appropriated,	\$6000 00	
Literary fund,	376 32	
Dog license,	109 67	
	<hr/>	\$6485 99

TAXES.

State tax,	\$2900 00	
County "	2955 90	
	<hr/>	\$5855 90

COUPONS.

No 19 due January 1 1895,	\$ 380 00	
No 20 " " " 1896.	2495 00	
	<hr/>	\$2875 00

NOTES AND INTEREST.

Heirs of Moses Quimby note No. 3	\$ 500 00	
Interest on same	23 98	
E A Hall interest on note No. 1	40 00	
E J Sargent " " " 2	20 00	
	<hr/>	\$583 98

Paid orders Selectmen,		
Account abatements	\$ 108 72	
breaking roads	512 22	
county poor	558 48	
dependent soldiers, county	459 60	
current expenses	661 76	

dog damage	69 90	
fire department	2625 35	
repairing highways	2926 85	
street lights	735 85	
town officers	994 68	
" poor	781 74	
" " dependent soldiers	70 33	
" " " " Gilmanton	62 09	
	<hr/>	\$10567 57
Total expenditures		<hr/> \$27125 03

ASSETS.

Cash on hand February 15 1896	\$ 1899 66	
Land on Catamount street, no title	150 00	
Sewer pipe	96 00	
Due from E W French collector for 1895	1054 72	
	<hr/>	\$3200 38

LIABILITIES.

Notes given to pay bonds due January 1 1896		
Amount drawing 4 per cent interest	\$ 10260 00	
" " 5 " " "	22850 00	
" " 5 1-2 " "	16790 00	
One bond outstanding	100 00	
	<hr/>	\$50000 00
Accrued interest on above	314 14	
E A Hall note No. 1 and interest to February 15, '96	1015 77	
E J Sargent note No. 2 " Feb-ruary 15, '96	507 89	
Coupon due January 1 1896	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$51842 80
Less assets		<hr/> 3200 38
Liability of town February 15 1896		<hr/> \$48642 42
Liability of the town February 15 1895 as per report		\$50581 16
Liability of the town " " 1896 as per report		<hr/> 48642 42
Reduction of debt of town for the fiscal year ending February 15 1896		<hr/> \$1938 74

PROPERTY OWNED BY TOWN OF PITTSFIELD.

Three hundred and ten shares Suncook Valley railroad non-dividend paying stock until January 1 1912.

Town hall and lot.

Engine house and lot.

Fire apparatus.

Sealer's weights and measures.

GEO. F. BERRY, Treasurer.

We have examined the books and account of the town treasurer and find them neatly and correctly kept and all moneys paid out accounted for by proper vouchers.

TRUE H. MAXFIELD
M. SWAIN CLOUGH
CHARLES H. LANE

Auditors..

SCHOOL BOARD REPORT.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN.

In compliance with the law we submit this report :

There are enrolled upon our school registers 460 pupils. The total cost per capita for the year \$13.83 plus. The district received from tuitions \$177.00, dog tax \$109.67, literary fund \$376.32, making the net cost \$12.39 plus per capita. There have been 340 weeks of schooling the cost of fuel \$494.42 or \$1.45 plus per week. We have given these figures to show that although the total amount seems large yet it is not extrayagant.

The attendance until the last term has been very satisfactory; measles, mumps and a case or two of scarlet fever played havoc the last term of the year. One school has been closed on account of it. The teachers, one and all, have worked earnestly for the welfare of those under their charge. Our school houses are in very good repair and will need only a small outlay to keep them neat and comfortable. We appointed a truant officer for the year; the authority of the truant officer does not cover all it should; the following amendment to the law has been suggested. "Truant officers shall have authority without warrant to take and place in school any children found violating the laws relating to the employment of children, or to the compulsory attendance at school of children between the ages of six and sixteen years."

There have been thirty-seven official visits by the school board, 338 visitors are recorded; of this number thirty-five are gentlemen, 118 ladies, 185 pupils, boys and girls; twenty-seven gentlemen are fathers and guardians, seventy-eight ladies mothers and guardians.

There are upon the check list of the town the names of nearly 700 voters, of this number, thirty-five visited our schools. Do the above figures give the true cause for that plague of school boards and teachers "Tardiness and Absenteeism?" More boys are absent and tardy than girls, more mothers than fathers visit our schools. Does that old saying hold true? "Like father, like son."

It is competent here to say, the larger part, yes four-fifths of our visitors come the "last" day when everything is supposed to be in trim

more or less, for the occasion; we most earnestly request your presence during the everyday class exercises.

The tax payers of our cities and towns can be divided into three classes: 1st, those who never attend "school meeting" or visit the school room, whose only interest in the matter relates to the amount of their taxes; 2d, those who attend the meeting and occasionally visit the school; 3rd, those who seldom attend the meeting and never visit the school room, standing on the street corners, or loafing in the stores, sitting with their nether end upon the chimes of empty barrels amid clouds of tobacco smoke and copious expectorations, crack their stale jokes about school boards, teachers and new fangled notions of education. The omnipresent small boy's ears are wide open and the impression made upon him is anything but elevating.

Pittsfield is one of the many beautiful towns in the old Granite State. From her hill tops one sees spread out before him a grand panorama of nature equalled by few and surpassed by none. In their season the woods are full of the feathered songsters, her fields and pastures with growing corn and lowing herd; her churches and school houses compare most favorably with other towns and cities in the state. Within her walls are nearly 500 bright, beautiful and cheerful children as intelligent and as well behaved as in any community; soon and alas, far too soon, they will be called upon to go out into the world and enter into its activities. Let us meet the question of school appropriations in a broad, liberal manner, so that Pittsfield, magnificent as she is by nature in her surroundings, will be in her zealous care of her educational interests.

HENRY W. OSGOOD.
ALBION H. FRENCH.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

PITTSFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Name of School.	No. of Term.	Name of Teacher.	Whole No. Pupils.	Average No Pupils	No. in Reading.	No. in Spelling.	Arithmetic.	Grammar.	Geography.	History.	Pennmanship.	Algebra.	Book-Keeping.	Composition.	Botany.
High.	1	J H Johnson A B Prin	57	52	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	—	—	—	8
	2	Edward Watson " " "	50	47	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	3	" " "	44	40	—	—	13	—	—	—	—	20	5	—	—
	1	Bessie Gerrish Assistant	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	2	Stella M Osgood "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1st. Gram.	1	Julia C Phelps "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	2	Stella M Osgood "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	3	Francella G Atwell	33	32	33	33	33	33	20	20	33	—	13	33	33
2d. Gram.	1	" "	54	52	54	54	54	54	30	54	54	—	24	54	—
	2	" "	50	49	50	50	50	50	27	50	50	—	—	50	—
	3	" "	46	44	46	46	46	46	46	46	46	—	—	46	—
Inter	1	Belle M Bacheider	40	38	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	—	—	40	—
	2	" "	38	37	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	—	—	38	—
	3	" "	59	57	59	59	59	59	19	59	59	—	—	59	—
1st Primary	1	Maud M Harrison	61	59	61	61	61	61	31	61	61	—	—	61	—
	2	Alma M Atwell	58	51	58	58	58	58	31	58	58	—	—	58	—
	3	" "	51	48	51	51	51	51	—	51	—	—	—	—	—
Brick Prim	1	Mattie George	45	44	45	45	45	—	—	45	—	—	—	—	—
	2	" "	46	43	46	46	46	—	—	46	—	—	—	—	—
	3	" "	44	43	44	44	44	—	—	44	—	—	—	—	—
2d Primary	1	Lillian S Foss	54	53	54	54	54	—	—	54	—	—	—	—	—
	2	Lillian G Elkins	43	41	41	41	41	—	—	41	—	—	—	—	—
	3	" "	50	49	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mountain	1	Martha L Brown	47	46	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	2	" "	30	29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	3	" "	12	10	12	12	12	4	3	5	12	—	—	—	—
So Pittsfield	1	Lillian G Elkins	14	13	14	14	13	7	5	4	13	—	—	—	—
	2	Blanche H Emerson	9	8	9	9	9	5	—	9	—	—	—	—	—
	3	Winnifred Davis	16	15	16	16	14	5	9	1	16	—	—	5	—
JennesPond	1	Eunice S Grace	19	18	19	19	14	7	11	1	15	—	—	6	—
	2	" "	15	10	15	15	15	11	6	11	15	—	—	7	—
	3	Blanche Emerson	11	9	11	11	11	3	7	—	11	—	—	—	—
Tilton Hill	1	Alma H Collins	14	11	14	14	11	3	7	—	14	—	—	—	—
	2	" "	7	6	7	7	5	3	7	3	—	—	—	3	—
	3	D M Kelly	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Upper City	1	Edith M Osgood	18	17	18	18	15	9	13	2	15	—	—	15	—
	2	" "	17	16	16	16	13	13	13	4	16	—	—	13	—
	3	" "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ring Dist.	1	Grace M Kelly	3	3	3	3	3	—	3	1	3	—	—	—	—

High School: Latin, 31; German, 12; Greek, 19; Geology, 8; Physiology, 4; English, 40; Physics, 9; Astronomy, 8; Rhetoric, 8; Biology, 20; Physical Geog., 9; Civil Government 10; General History 20.

SCHOOL DISTRICT. TREASURER'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1896.

RECEIPTS.

H W Osgood, as per report Feb 15 '95, \$	63	23	
" " " tuitions,	177	00	
Town treasurer, appropriation,	6000	00	
" " literary fund,	376	32	
" " dog license,	109	67	
H W Osgood, sale of books,	39	05	
			\$6765 27

EXPENDITURES.

Paid teachers' salaries,	\$4175	57	
fuel,	494	42	
miscellaneous,	30	55	
janitors,	317	75	
repairs,	259	03	
books and supplies, 1893-94-95.	950	90	
rent of academy,	125	00	
drafts and postage,	1	40	
G F Berry, school treasurer's salary,	10	00	
Balance on hand,	400	65	
			\$6765 27

GEORGE F. BERRY,

Treasurer of School District.

PITTSFIELD, March 2, 1896.

We have examined the accounts of the treasurer of the Pittsfield school district, and find that all expenditures are supported by proper vouchers.

EDWARD A. LANE,
EDWARD K. WEBSTER,

Auditors.

Birhs Registered in the Town of Pittsfield for the year ending December 31, 1895.

Date of Birth, 1895.	Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
						Color				
			No. of Child.			1st, 2d, &c.				
Jan. 15	Pittsfield	M	L	1	W	Lewis Walter	Bill Forbes	Edna M. Whittier	Edna M. Whittier	Edna M. Whittier
27	"	F	"	1	"	Frank D. Hutchins	Sarah Labriton	Sarah Labriton	Sarah Labriton	Sarah Labriton
24	"	"	"	1	"	Napoleon Duceit	Mertie M. Hutchinson	Mertie M. Hutchinson	Mertie M. Hutchinson	Mertie M. Hutchinson
29	"	M	"	1	"	Frank H. Shattuck	Eliza Philbrick	Eliza Philbrick	Eliza Philbrick	Eliza Philbrick
Feb. 2	"	"	"	5	"	John S. Philbrick	Annie Brown	Annie Brown	Annie Brown	Annie Brown
3	"	"	"	3	"	Albert Meserve	Ellen H. Jenkins	Ellen H. Jenkins	Ellen H. Jenkins	Ellen H. Jenkins
20	"	F	"	1	"	Harry W. Joy	Mary F. Winkley	Mary F. Winkley	Mary F. Winkley	Mary F. Winkley
20	"	"	"	1	"	Fred C. Joy	Cora M. Libbey	Cora M. Libbey	Cora M. Libbey	Cora M. Libbey
Mar. 9	"	F	"	2	"	Charles R. Steele	Nardissa G. Fellows	Nardissa G. Fellows	Nardissa G. Fellows	Nardissa G. Fellows
20	"	F	"	2	"	Charles E. Davis	Emma P. Hartwell	Emma P. Hartwell	Emma P. Hartwell	Emma P. Hartwell
24	"	M	S	1	"	Edward Stockman	Fannie Larson	Fannie Larson	Fannie Larson	Fannie Larson
Apr. 1	"	F	"	9	"	William P. Adams	Melvina Come	Melvina Come	Melvina Come	Melvina Come
10	"	M	"	1	"	Gustavus A. Bennett	Mary Larau	Mary Larau	Mary Larau	Mary Larau
21	"	"	"	2	"	Alfred Dolac	Kate N. Lougee	Kate N. Lougee	Kate N. Lougee	Kate N. Lougee
May 11	"	"	"	4	"	Herbert Wilson	Clara Jackson	Clara Jackson	Clara Jackson	Clara Jackson
13	"	"	"	1	"	Paul E. Hartwell	Growing	Growing	Growing	Growing
26	"	"	"	1	"	North W. Goss	Emma Genest	Emma Genest	Emma Genest	Emma Genest
29	"	F	"	3	"	Eddie Come	Annie Paro	Annie Paro	Annie Paro	Annie Paro
June 4	"	"	"	6	"	William Bishop	Amv D. Kowloon	Amv D. Kowloon	Amv D. Kowloon	Amv D. Kowloon
11	"	"	"	1	"	Ovid Davis	Mary C. Tucker	Mary C. Tucker	Mary C. Tucker	Mary C. Tucker
20	"	F	"	2	"	Rose Garland	Mary King	Mary King	Mary King	Mary King
21	"	"	"	3	"	Harry E. Craun	Marie Genest	Marie Genest	Marie Genest	Marie Genest
July 1	"	M	"	8	"	Louis Shafro	Mary Larau	Mary Larau	Mary Larau	Mary Larau
7	"	"	"	3	"	Joseph Co. tier	Melvina Byron	Melvina Byron	Melvina Byron	Melvina Byron
19	"	"	"	7	"	John Rivl	Helen Sloan	Helen Sloan	Helen Sloan	Helen Sloan
22	"	"	"	4	"	Frank Butler	Florence A. Math's	Florence A. Math's	Florence A. Math's	Florence A. Math's
28	"	"	"	4	"	Jam. s. Brown				
Aug. 2	"	F	S	4	"	Lorenzo A. Welch				

Aug	8	Pittsfield	M	L	1	W	Arthur C. Br. wn	Eva O. Clark	Pittsfield	Merchant	Bristol	Danbury
11		"	F	L	8	W	Frank C. McCarthy	Sarah Dowst	"	Shoemaker	Gilman's on	Epsom
28		"	F	S	1	W	Frank C. Joy	Carrie M. Hoyt	"	Shoemaker	Pittsfield	Deerfield
28		"	F	L	2	W	Frank C. Joy	Carrie M. Hoyt	"	Shoemaker	Pittsfield	Deerfield
S. pt	11	"	M	L	4	W	Victor Drollett	Sophia Buisiere	"	Mill Operative	Canada	Canada
12		"	M	L	2	W	George H. Buffum	Mary F. Brown	"	Shoemaker	Enfield	Northwood
27		"	M	L	3	W	Monroe H. Marston	Nellie G. Jacobs	"	Shoemaker	Pittsfield	Pittsfield
15		"	M	L	1	W	Chas O. Gove	Edith L. Stafford	"	Engineer	Pittsfield	Chichester
27		"	F	L	3	W	Hilaire Davis	Victoria Dumaine	"	Mill Operative	Canada	Canada
29		"	M	L	5	W	Theophilus Cloutier	Salina King	"	Mill Operative	Canada	Canada
Nov	20	"	M	L	1	W	Cyprien Picard	Josephine Chagnon	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada
25		"	F	L	10	W	David Genout	Cordelia Buba	"	Mill Operative	Canada	Canada
Dec	1	"	M	L	3	W	Harry M. Bouroughs	Jennie Sum's	"	Mill Operative	Vermont	Canada
22		"	M	L	4	W	Walter G. Elkins	Jenna J. Curtis	"	Carpenter	Pittsfield	Lewiston Me.
22		"	F	L	3	W	Leor. C. Miller	Ella C. D. ew	"	Laborer	Canada	London

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. D. OSGOOD, Town Clerk.

Mariages Registered in the Town of Pittsfield for the year ending December 31, 1895.

Date of marriage	Place of marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of marriage	Age of each	No. of marriage	Occupation of Groom & Bride	Place of birth of each	Names of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Parents	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married
Jan. 19	Pittsfield	William Busiere	Pittsfield	20 W	1	Mill operative	Vermont	Joseph Busiere Marie Sansonici	Canada	Deceased Laborer	A F Simard, Priest Hooksett
30	Pittsfield	Madie Genest	Pittsfield	17 "	1	Mill operative	Canada	David Genest Adelaide Foucher	"	Deceased	John E Dame Clergyman, Pittsfield
		James Conly	Pittsfield	23 "	1	Shoemaker	Dover, N H	James Conly Julia McCabb	Maine	Deceased	
		Rosa Ozier	Pittsfield	26 "	1	Mill operative	Canada	Zebulon Ozier	Ireland	Laborer	
Feb. 25	Pittsfield	Harlan W Jacobs	Pittsfield	27 "	1	Shoemaker	Pittsfield	Joseph A Jacobs Sarah A Eaton	"	Mill operative	John E Dame, Clergyman, Pittsfield
		Margaret E Brown	Pittsfield	23 "	2		Nashua	Daniel O'Connell Mary	Portsmouth	Deceased	
27	Pittsfield	Herbert W Dustin	Pittsfield	30 "	1	Tailor	Antrim	Benjamin F Dustin Roxey A Robb	Antrim	Housekeeper	
		Ellen F Sanborn	London	30 "	1	Tailor	London	True H Sanborn Adeline B Green	Stoddard	Deceased Farmer	Samuel Bell Clergyman Pittsfield
Mar. 5	London	George A Hodgdon	Pittsfield	29 "	1	Farmer	Canterbury	Russell A Hodgdon Lucy W Smith	Lancaster	Deceased	George T Griffin Clergyman, London
		Nellie Young	Barnstead	23 "	1	Housekeeper	Barnstead	Elizabeth Caswell John Young	Barnstead	Farmer	
Apr. 13	Pittsfield	Louis W Kaime	Pittsfield	23 "	1	Merchant	Pittsfield	Benjamin F Kaime Olive J Sanborn	Chester	Housekeeper	Samuel Bell, Clergyman, Pittsfield
		Winifred M Smith	Pittsfield	24 "	1	Music teacher	Epsom	Chas. C. Batche Ursula Knowlton	Pittsfield	Merchant	
May 18	Pittsfield	Fred S Morrill	Pittsfield	26 "	1	Farmer	Pittsfield	Joseph G Morrill Jennie B Smith	Northwood	Farmer	Samuel Bell, Clergyman, Pittsfield
		Lizzie M Marshall	Barnstead	20 "	1		Barnstead	Delaney Marshall Mary S Taker	Grimont	Deceased	
June 5	Pittsfield	George A M r	Pittsfield	24 "	1	Weaver	Nova Scotia	John Aimer Margaret Parker	"	Farmer	F S Leathers, Clergyman, Pittsfield
		Annie Brown	Pittsfield	27 "	1	Weaver	Scotland	James Brown Lizzie Paton	Scotland	Deceased Bolt maker	

4	Pittsfield	Fred W Dow	Pittsfield	21	"	1 Shoe cutter	Salisbury N's	A Warren Dow Emma Jackman Joseph C Moody Lizzie J Stambolion	Salisbury, Mass	Expressman	F S Leathers, Cler- gyman, Pittsfield
14	Pittsfield	Lillian Moody	Northwood	18	"	1 Shoe stitcher	Northwood	David J Stambolion	O-sipee Mercedith Armenia	Shoemaker	"
15	Pittsfield	Jacob D Stambolion	Pittsfield	19	"	1 Shoemaker	Armenia, Asia	Mary	"	"	F S Leathers, Cler- gyman, Pittsfield
16	Pittsfield	I ouise Come	Pittsfield	17	"	1 Mill operative	Pittsfield	Almore B Come	New York	Clerk	"
25	Pittsfield	Frank Larcan	Pittsfield	22	"	1 Laborer	Canada	Melvin Sunconci Edward Larcan	Canada	Laborer	A F Simard, Priest, Hooksett
26	Pittsfield	Marie Frenette	Pittsfield	18	"	1 Mill operative	Canada	Julia Menard	"	Laborer	"
27	Pittsfield	Norman S Briden	Cambridge, Mass	21	"	1 Tinsmith	Cambridge, Mass	Arteline Marcotte Benjamin F Briden	Ch'th Mass	Deceased	Samuel Bell, Cler- gyman, Pittsfield
28	Pittsfield	Edith V Powell	Pittsfield	18	"	1 Shoe stitcher	Concord	Fred D Powell Lucy Rowell	Concord	Shoemaker	"
29	Pittsfield	Charles C Goss	Pittsfield	24	"	1 Banker	Epson	J hn A Goss	Henniker	Banker	Samuel Bell, Cler- gyman, Pittsfield
30	Pittsfield	Winifred Lane	Pittsfield	20	"	1 ..	Pittsfield	Electa A Carpenter	Chichester	Carpenter	"
31	Pittsfield	Dudley LaRosa	Pittsfield	21	"	1 Laborer	Canada	Charles H Perkins	Pittsfield	Laborer	Samuel Bell, Cler- gyman, Pittsfield
32	Pittsfield	Emma Luby	Pittsfield	17	"	1 Mill operative	Canada	George LaRose	Canada	Mill operative	"
33	Pittsfield	Ferdinand Picard	Pittsfield	21	"	1 Laborer	Canada	Myra Budrs	"	Laborer	"
34	Pittsfield	Rosa D Frenette	Pittsfield	19	"	1 Mill operative	Canada	Marie Burns	"	Mill operative	"
35	Pittsfield	Joseph Larcan	Pittsfield	27	"	1 Shoemaker	Canada	Edward Picard	"	Laborer	A F Simard, Priest, Hooksett
36	Pittsfield	Folécite Clomerts	Pittsfield	22	"	1 ..	Canada	Marie Langhals	"	Mill operative	"
37	Pittsfield	James D Holland	Portsmouth	35	"	1 Clerk	Portsmouth	Prudence Frenette	"	Deceased	"
38	Pittsfield	Belle S Come	Pittsfield	19	"	1 ..	Pittsfield	Arteline Marcotte	"	Housekeeper	Samuel Bell, Cler- gyman, Pittsfield
39	Pittsfield	Albert H Hills Grove	Barnstead	48	"	3 Shoemaker	Portsmouth	Edward Larcan	"	Laborer	"
40	Pittsfield	Mary E Jarvis	Barnstead	22	"	1 Housekeeper	East Boston, Mass	Stephen Clement	Ireland	Deceased	Walter H Woodsum Clergyman, Burnshead
41	Pittsfield	Albert Rowell	Pittsfield	19	"	1 Shoemaker	Bow, N H	Mary Garnier	Canada	Shoemaker	Samuel Bell, Cler- gyman, Pittsfield
42	Pittsfield	Elizabeth Butler	Pittsfield	18	"	1 Housekeeper	David Holland	"	Laborer	"
43	Pittsfield							Katharine Leary	"	Deceased	"
44	Pittsfield							Peter F Come	"	Deceased	"
45	Pittsfield							Electa Willet	"	Deceased	"
46	Pittsfield							James Hills Grove	"	Deceased	"
47	Pittsfield							Sarah Knight	"	Deceased	"
48	Pittsfield							John Jarvis	"	Deceased	"
49	Pittsfield							Almira Stone	"	Deceased	"
50	Pittsfield							Benjamin F Rowell	"	Deceased	"
51	Pittsfield							Marcia Stearns	"	Deceased	"
52	Pittsfield							Edward Butler	"	Deceased	"
53	Pittsfield							Lydia A Bardin	"	Deceased	"

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief. F. D. OSGOOD, Town Clerk

Deaths Registered in the Town of Pittsfield for the year ending December 31, 1895.

Date of Death, 1895	Name and Surname of Deceased.	Age		Place of Birth	Condition		Occupation	Disease or Cause of Death	Name of Father	Maiden name, Mother	Place of Birth.	
		Years	Months		Sex	Color					Father	Mother
Jan	2 David H Burton	72	8	Chichester	M	W	Farmer	Apoplexy	David L Burton	May Miller	Chichester	Pittsfield
	4 Daniel Watson	71	9	Pittsfield	M	W	Farmer	Pneumonia	Epbraim Fick	Sarah Fagg	"	"
	10 Alice Palmer	73	6	Weare	F	W	Farmer	Apoplexy	Herbert Wilson	Rachel Peaslee	Weare	B'logton Vt
	11 Alice Wilson	12		Canada	F	W	Mil Operative	Menegitis	Napolean Ducette	Mary Favor	Canada	Canada
Feb	19 Lada Ducette	16	4	Thornton	F	W		Consumption	James French			
	20 Rose G Atkins	44	5	Loudon	F	W	Carpenter	Pelvic abscess	Nicholas Brown			
	20 William G French	80	5	Chichester	M	W	Farmer	Pneumonia	John Sargent	Betsy True	Seabrook	Hampton
	20 True M Brown	70	5	Pittsfield	M	W		C'bral Ap'lyx	Trucworthy Eaton		Pittsfield	Deerfield
Mar	21 Rhody H Keniston	47		Loudon	F	W	Watchman	C'bral Ap'lyx	Jacob West		Barnstead	Barnstead
	24 George A Eaton	47		Pittsfield	M	W		Inanition	Thomas Snell	Mabithe Munsey	Barnstead	Barnstead
	26 John A West	67	2	Elsworth	M	W		Pneumonia	Frank W Shattuck	Elizabeth Moser	Barnstead	Barnstead
	28 George W Snell	88	11	Barnstead	M	W		Pneumonia	Charles Bunker	M M Hutchinson	Barnstead	Barnstead
Apr	14 Charles B Shattuck	56	1	Pittsfield	M	W	Farmer	1/2's of Liver	Thom's Sweet	Mary P. veare	Barnstead	Barnstead
	22 Betsy S Jenness	87	10	Pittsfield	F	W		Pneumonia	G org. II ab's	Becky Houghton	Barnstead	Barnstead
	23 Laura H Durrill	26	6	Barnstead	F	W		"	Samuel Tomblly			
	25 Paul Tomblly	67	10	Barnstead	M	W	Farmer	Val Di. Heart	Jonathan Dargin	Susan Be. ford	Northwood	Northwood
May	26 Eliza D Lesker	86	21	Barnstead	F	W	Gl rk	Tum on brain	Darius Saunders	Maria J. Leachon	Northwood	Northwood
	27 George C S Jenkins	32	4	Pittsfield	M	W		Mbrs roup	Emery E Cobb	Mary A D wile	Pittsfield	Pittsfield
	29 Westley T Cobb	56	4	"	M	W	Housekeeper	Pneumonia	Nathan B Berry	Sarah Brown	Hampton	Hampton
	29 Harriet F Lan	87	9	"	F	W		Strigid hernia	Abraham French	William L ne	Stratham	Stratham
May	12 David K Sweet	66	13	Pittsfield	M	W	Farmer	Pneumonia	Thomas Sweet	Sarah Peaslee	Pittsfield	Pittsfield
	13 Infant			"	M	W		Inanition	Charles Hartwell	Kate N Tongue	Wilton	Pittsfield
	19 Josiah A Barton	51	2	"	M	W	Farmer	Heart disease	David L Barton	Mary Miller	Pittsfield	Pittsfield
	31 Dexter H Locke	56	6	Epsom	M	W	Farmer	Inflaction brain	Simeon P Locke	Sarah Cass	Rye	Chichester
	22 Sally Snell	87	12	Pittsfield	F	W	Farmer	Pneumonia				Epsom

Month	No.	Name	Age	Sex	Profession	Disease	Physician	Result
June	28	Mary A Griffin	62	F	W	M	Apopl. Paralysis	Barnstead
	29	John Amil	48	M	M	M	Pneumonia	Canada
	7	Moses L Cummings	82	M	M	M	Scourasis liver	Louzon
	10	Sarah T Prescott	60	F	W	M	Heart disease	Pittsfield
	22	Mary E Joy	49	F	W	M	Canxer	"
July	28	John Eastman	88	M	M	W	Heart disease	Carpenter
	22	Madbury Eaton	10	M	W	S	Cholera infantum	"
	27	Infant	3	M	M	W	Consumption	Pittsfield
	25	Betsy B Walker	67	F	W	S	Consumption	"
	28	Infant	29	M	W	S	Cholera infantum	Pittsfield
Aug	31	Violet H Welch	76	F	W	M	Cholera infantum	Pittsfield
	31	Nathaniel K Morse	59	M	W	M	Old Age	Chelsea, Vt
	17	John Doe	86	M	W	M	Pneumonia	Lee N H
	16	John B Drollett	71	M	W	M	Old Age	Canada
	18	Becky Watson	88	F	W	M	Tuberculosis	Lee
Sept	18	Edie C Moxon	28	F	W	M	Valdus heart	3 5 Lynn, Mass
	26	Annie B Sargent	35	F	W	M	Cancer	5 22 Pittsfield
	8	Mary J Norton	70	F	W	S	Acute Lx right	Barnstead
	18	Rachel R Corne	1	F	W	S	Apoplexy	Pittsfield
	3	Fannie L Emerson	43	F	W	W	Apoplexy	3 6
Oct	7	Moses B Quimby	74	M	W	M	Degradation	3 6 London Vt
	14	Clas N Buckman	53	M	W	M	Disease Brain	5 9 Waltham Vt
	26	Harry M Burrows	25	M	M	M	Consumption	25 Pittsfield
	29	Angeline Smith	30	F	W	M	Consumption	Canada
	30	Angeline Smith	30	F	W	M	Consumption	Canada

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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